

The following table shows the results of the regression analysis. The dependent variable is the number of days of absence from work due to illness. The independent variables are the age, sex, and education of the respondent. The results show that the number of days of absence from work due to illness increases with age, and is higher for females than for males. Education has a negative effect on the number of days of absence from work due to illness.

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